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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

U.S. Customs and Border Protection

[1651-0106]

Agency Information Collection Activities:

Application to Pay Off or Discharge an Alien Crewman

AGENCY: U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security

ACTION: 60-Day Notice and request for comments; extension of an existing collection of information.

SUMMARY: U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) of the Department of Homeland Security will be submitting the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act: Application to Pay Off or Discharge an Alien Crewman (Form I-408). CBP is proposing that this information collection be extended with no change to the burden hours or to the information collected. This document is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before [INSERT DATE 60 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER] to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Written comments may be mailed to U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Attn: Tracey Denning, Regulations and Rulings, Office of Trade, 90 K Street, NE, 10^h

Floor, Washington, D.C. 20229-1177.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information should

be directed to Tracey Denning, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Regulations and

Rulings, Office of Trade, 90 K Street, NE, 10th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20229-1177, at

202-325-0265.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: CBP invites the general public and other Federal

agencies to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections pursuant to

the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Public Law 104-13). The comments should

address: (a) whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance

of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility;

(b) the accuracy of the agency's estimates of the burden of the collection of information;

(c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d)

ways to minimize the burden including the use of automated collection techniques or the

use of other forms of information technology; and (e) the annual cost burden to

respondents or record keepers from the collection of information (total capital/startup costs

and operations and maintenance costs). The comments that are submitted will be

summarized and included in the CBP request for OMB approval. All comments will

become a matter of public record. In this document, CBP is soliciting comments

concerning the following information collection:

Title: Application to Pay Off or Discharge an Alien Crewman

OMB Number: 1651-0106

Form Number: 1-408

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Abstract: CBP Form I-408, Application to Pay Off or Discharge an Alien

Crewman, is used as an application by the owner, agent, consignee, charterer, master,

or commanding officer of any vessel or aircraft arriving in the United States to obtain

permission from the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security to pay off or

discharge an alien crewman. This form is submitted to the CBP officer having jurisdiction

over the area in which the vessel or aircraft is located at the time of application. CBP

Form I-408 is authorized by Section 256 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.

1286) and provided for 8 CFR 252.1(h). This form is accessible at:

https://www.cbp.gov/newsroom/publications/forms.

Current Actions: CBP proposes to extend the expiration date of this information

collection with no change to the burden hours or to the information collected.

Type of Review: Extension (without change)

Affected Public: Businesses

Estimated Number of Respondents: 85,000

Estimated Time per Respondent: 25 minutes

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 35,360

Dated: May 23, 2016,

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U.S. Customs and Border Protection.

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